

May is considered an unfortunate marrying month. A down east editor says a girl was asked not long since to unite herself in the silken tie to a bristly lad, who named May in his proposals. The lady tenderly intimated that May was an unlucky month for marrying.

"Well, make it June then," honestly replied the swain, anxious to accommodate.

The damsel paused a moment, hesitated, cast down her eyes and said, with a blush, "Wouldn't April do as well?"

**TEXAN AND ILLINOIS FARMER** were speaking of raising corn, &c., and the Illinois man was boasting of the superior yield of prairie land, and telling large stories, as all western men do, to which the Texan replied, "I'll tell you what, stranger, they make large corn in your clearing, but it ain't a circumstance to what we raise in the Colorado bottoms. Why the corn there averages thirty feet in height, with twelve ears to a stalk, and a gourd full of shelled corn on the top!"

**CURE FOR IMPUDENCE**—A city buck visited the Shakers, at Lebanon, some time since, and as he was wandering through the village, he encountered a stout, hearty specimen of the sect, and thus accosted him:

"Well, broadbrim, are you much of a shaker?"

"May," said the other, "not much, but I can do a little in that way."

So he seized the astonished man by the collar, and nearly shook him out of his boots.

Why did you leave Smith's so early last night? I was asked of a young man. He answered, Why, you see I called to see Miss Nancy and she wouldn't have anything to say to me; so I sat awhile, and the old man told me I had better go. I sat awhile longer, and one of the boys came and took me to the door and gave me a push, then I thought may be my company wasn't wanted, and so I left.

Old Roger was visiting a friend who had a remarkably fine little girl about three years old famous for smart saying. As usual, she was shown off before our esteemed friend. "What is papa?" said the parent, in order to draw out the precociously reply. "Papa's a humbug," said the juvenile. "I declare," said old Roger, "I never, in my life, saw so young a child with so mature a judgment."

Horner Tooke being asked by George III, whether he played at cards, replied, "No, your majesty; the fact is, I can't tell a king from a knave."

If men knew what they say of one another, there would not be four friends in the world. This is evinced by quarrels which, a pair, by indirect reports.

During an examination a medical student being asked the question, "When does mortification ensue?" replied, "When you pop the question and are answered No."

"I think, wife," you have a great many ways of calling me a fool. I think, husband, that you have a great many ways of being one."

A young lady says: the reason she carries a parasol is, that the sun is of the masculine gender, and she cannot bear his ardent glances.

A young lady in town is so refined in her language that she never uses the word blackguard but substitutes *African's* instead.

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